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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE PATENT NUMBER: 6,158,725

ATTN: Box "M" Fee

APPLICANT: Friedrich FISCHER

ISSUED: December 12, 2000

FOR: DEVICE FOR STORING ENERGY IN
SPRING STORAGES

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LETTER

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. BOX 1450
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Dear Sir:

On June 15, 2011 we requested the Patent Office update their records to reflect that large entity status is applied for the above-identified patent. Copy of letter and our date-stamped filing receipt is attached. To date this request has not been completed.

We hereby request the Patent Office update their records to reflect that large entity status applies to the above-identified patent so the third maintenance fee which is due June 12, 2012 may be paid as large entity status.

Respectfully submitted,

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OSMM&N File No. 142469USMFBy: JAR/lnSerial No. 09/414,856Patent No. 6,158,723In the matter of the Application of: Friedrich FISCHERFor: DEVICE FOR STORING ENERGY IN SPRING STORAGEES**ATTENTION: "BOX M" FEE**

The following has been received in the U.S. Patent Office on the date stamped hereon:

- ☐ _____ pp. Specification _____ Claims/Drawings _____ Sheets
- ☐ Combined Declaration, Petition & Power of Attorney
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- ☐ Payment of _____ Maintenance Fee w/ Large Entity
- ☐ Payment of _____ Maintenance Fee w/ Small Entity
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- ☐ _____
- ☐ Drawings _____ sheets ☐ Formal
- ☐ Letter
- ☐ Amendment
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Cited References
- ☐ Search Report
- ☐ Statement of Relevancy
- ☐ IDS/Related/List of Related Cases
- ☐ Restriction Response
- ☐ Rule 132 Declaration
- ☐ Petition for Extension of Time
- ☐ Notice of Appeal
- ☐ Brief
- ☐ Issue Fee Transmittal
- ☒ Additional Payment of First and Second Maintenance Fee due to Entity Change
- ☒ Request to Change from Small Entity Status to Large Entity Status



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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

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Dear Sir:

We were advised on June 9, 2011 that large entity status applies to the above-identified patent. The first and second maintenance fees were paid as small entity status.

The first maintenance fee was paid on June 4, 2004 in the amount of \$455.00. The additional amount of \$525.00 is due.

The second maintenance fee was paid on June 2, 2008 in the amount of \$1,180.00. The additional amount of \$1,300.00 is due.

Therefore, we are enclosing herewith the additional amounts due for the first and second maintenance fees as large entity status.

Please find enclosed a credit card payment form in the amount of \$1,825.00, which is the additional amount due for payment of the first and second maintenance fees as large entity status.

We also request the Patent Office update their records to reflect that large entity status applies to the above-identified patent.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the payment of the requested fee(s) or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 15-0030.

Respectfully submitted,

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